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CONFIRMATION NO. 4153

## FORMALITIES LETTER

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Date Mailed: 06/07/2004

## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).*
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Additional claim fees of \$370 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$1270 for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$370.

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02 FC:1051	130.00 DA
03 FC:1201	172.00 DA
04 FC:1202	198.00 DA

- \$172 for 2 independent claims over 3.
- \$198 for 11 total claims over 20.

**Items Required To Avoid Processing Delays:**

The item(s) indicated below are also required and should be submitted with any reply to this notice to avoid further processing delays.

- A new oath or declaration, identifying this application number is required. The oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.63 in that it:
- does not identify the complete mailing or post office address of each inventor.
- does not identify the citizenship of each inventor.

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Application No.: 10/808,255  
Applicant: Erwin Penfornis, et al.  
Filed: March 24, 2004  
TC/ A.U.: Unknown  
Examiner: Unknown  
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR OPTIMIZED CO POST-COMBUSTION IN LOW NO<sub>x</sub> COMBUSTION PROCESSES  
Attorney Docket: Serie 6496

**TRANSMITTAL OF MISSING PARTS UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.63**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated June 7, 2004, Applicants respectfully submit herewith the Declaration and Power of Attorney in connection with the above-identified application.

Please charge any fee due on the above application to Deposit Account No. 01-1375. The estimated fee due is: \$1,270.00 for Transmittal of Missing Parts.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in connection with this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-1375. This sheet is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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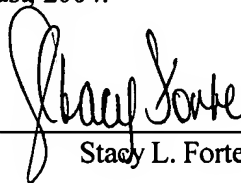
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**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR 1.8(a)**

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